

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	:	Vauterin et al.
Appl. No.	:	10/758,249
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For	:	METHOD FOR OBTAINING CONSENSUS CLASSIFICATIONS AND IDENTIFICATIONS BY COMBINING DATA FROM DIFFERENT EXPERIMENTS
Examiner	:	Agrawal, Ritesh
Group Art Unit	:	1631

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION****Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 2, 2006, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper. Amendments are reflected in the red-lined Substitute Specification enclosed herewith as Appendix A.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 of this paper. A "Replacement Sheet" for each sheet of drawings can be found in Appendix C.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.